IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

BEAUMONT DIVISION

NATHAN JOEL NICHOLS §

VS. § CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:12-CV-382

LAYNE WALKER, ET AL. §

ORDER ADOPTING THE MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

Petitioner Nathan Joel Nichols, a pretrial detainee confined at the Jefferson County Jail, proceeding *pro se*, filed this petition for writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2241.

The court ordered that this matter be referred to the Honorable Zack Hawthorn, United States Magistrate Judge, at Beaumont, Texas, for consideration pursuant to applicable laws and orders of this court. The Magistrate Judge recommends denying petitioner's motion for default judgment.

The court has received and considered the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge filed pursuant to such order, along with the record and pleadings. No objections to the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge were filed by the parties.

ORDER

Accordingly, the findings of fact and conclusions of law of the Magistrate Judge are correct, and the report of the Magistrate Judge (document no. 14) is **ADOPTED**. Petitioner's motion for default judgment (document no. 13) is **DENIED**.

So ORDERED and SIGNED this 11 day of March, 2014.

Ron Clark, United States District Judge

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